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### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—My cottage on Crystal Lake, near Mr. Lena J. Woodward, South Barton, Vt. 31ft

FOR SALE CHEAP—Fine cottage lot on Crystal Lake, Call or write Monitor Office. 29ft

FOR SALE—One hand I. H. C. six horse power engine. F. H. Cherenhill, Orleans. 30ft

FOR SALE—Fifty rugged and healthy shotes at \$5 each. Isale Messier, Dorby Line. 34-36p

FOR SALE—Two handmade double stuffed couches. Cheap. E. C. Brennan, Orleans. 32-33

FOR SALE—My farm on the Willoughby road, registered Holstein stock and tools. Charles E. Pierce, Barton. 11ft

FOR SALE—God pair work horses, weighing 2500, Lilley wagon and harnesses. Will trade for good auto. George E. Colby, Greensboro Bend, Vt. 27ft

FOR SALE—Double tenement with barn and garden plot. All modern improvements, thoroughly built and always rented. Well located in Barton village. Inquire of W. M. Wright, agent, Barton. 28ft

FOR SALE—Standard bred trotting mare, nine years old, by Vice Commodore out of Markala, by Peter the Great and Nancy Hanks. Extreme speed, no record. Been shown at driver and brood mare. Shown at Barton fair by Fred B. Root, or apply to Rev. C. S. Carter, Greensboro. 11ft

### WANTED

WANTED—Live poultry. Elrick, Barton. 18ft

WANTED—Some good basswood lumber, 2 inches and 2 1/2 inches thick. C. S. Phillips Co., Glover. 1w

WANTED—Live poultry of all kinds. Will arrange to take poultry at express office first of each week. E. S. Kelley, Orleans. 31ft

WANTED—at the Valley House, Orleans, Vt., one or two good strong women. Good wages to the woman who wants to work. Washing and ironing done by machinery. 34ft

WANTED—Persons desiring high school pupils to work for board or who have rooms to rent should notify the committee, J. A. Pearson, J. F. Batchelder, Wallace H. Gilpin. 32-35

WANTED—Live poultry. Hens 14 cents, chicks two pounds and up, 16 cents pound. Empty crops, please. N. W. Strawn, Orleans. Bell phone, 142-12. 32-ft

Thousand pounds hens week, 14c lb. Crops to be empty. Elrick. 29ft

### MISCELLANEOUS

See advertisement wool carding and hand spun yarn. adv.

See my auction sale adv., in this issue. E. C. Brennan, Orleans. 33-34

The Orleans School Committee desire to learn of boarding places for non-resident pupils attending O. H. S. Notify Dr. Wells, M. M. Taplin or F. C. Brown. 33-P-35

NOTICE—Regarding the trademarks from Babbitt's Soap. Babbitt's Cleanser, Babbitt's 1776 Soap Powder. Bring 50 to Austin's Pharmacy, Orleans, or Pierce's Pharmacy, Barton. Several useful premiums to select from. 33ft

ONLY 25 CENTS for large load dry shavings at our mill in Orleans. Also six-foot edgings at 75 cents per cord at the mill. E. L. Chandler Co., Orleans. 21ft

### TORRENT

TO RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Mrs. Gerald Plunkett, Barton. 1w

TO RENT—First class office in bank block for rent. Apply to Central Savings Bank & Trust Co., Orleans. 26ft

### Congregational Church Notes.

REV. W. A. WARNER, Pastor

Sunday, Aug. 20:

10.45, morning service.

12.00, Sunday school.

7.00 Christian Endeavor meeting.

Subject, "Carelessness vs. Thoughtfulness." Heb. 2:17. Leader, Lola M. Hawkins. Thursday, evening service, "The Art of Letting Go." Heb. 12:1-29.

The Ladies' Missionary society will meet at the church parlor Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 29.

### Methodist Episcopal Church Notes.

REV. L. A. RANNEY, Pastor

Services will be held Sunday as usual.

You are cordially invited to attend all services.

Morning worship, 10.45.

Sunday school, 12 o'clock.

Epworth League, 7 o'clock.

## Schools Will Open Next Tuesday.

Everything is in readiness for the opening of the school year of Barton academy and graded school Tuesday next.

The teaching corps is made up of experienced and successful teachers and the equipment both of grades and the high school and special work is unequalled in Orleans county. Especially may this be said of the teacher training department at the head of which is Miss Mary Patrick, acknowledged as the leading teacher training specialist of the state. Miss Patrick will have an assistant in Miss Pierpont, whose ability and experience prove her to be a teacher of marked success. Few training classes have the advantages, equipment and opportunity for practice teaching that is afforded here. Contemplative teachers should not fail to understand the opportunity offered them, without tuition at the Barton academy training class.

The high school will afford greater advantages than ever before in the addition to the teaching force of a fourth assistant. The work here is bound to be above the average.

Everyone will welcome the opening of school and the knowledge that the pupils and teachers are once more among us.

## BARTON

E. E. Webster of Quebec is a guest in town during the fair.

Mrs. Harriet Borland attended the picnic at West Glover Wednesday.

W. L. Ross of New York City is visiting his brother, F. R. Ross for a time.

The schools of the town of Barton will open Monday, August 28th. 33-34

Rev. A. B. Blake entertained his Sunday school class Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitch of Fitchburg, Mass., are guests at the home of H. W. Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Clough of Lowell, Mass., visited Mrs. C. P. Jenness the past week.

Miss Cordelia Page of Boston has been a recent guest of her brother, Kimball Page.

Miss Mary Rowell of Brookline, Mass., is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Harry Perley, this week.

Leon Ringer of Gouverneur Hospital, New York City, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Hunt.

An opportunity to see Gaby Deslys, the dancer of international fame at the Gem theatre, this evening at 8.

Miss Ethel Urie of Springfield is spending her vacation at the home of her parents at the John Urie farm.

Dr. and Mrs. F. R. Hastings and Miss Marjorie, have been taking a canoe trip on Lake Memphremagog.

R. P. Webster and Fred Richmond were in Boston last week, driving home in a car, the purchase of Mr. Webster.

Miss Amy Pope and friends of Newport were guests of her sister, at the Miss Austin sanitarium Friday evening.

The Probate judge will be at F. W. Baldwin's office in the forenoon, August 25th, instead of in the afternoon.

Mrs. Emily Baldwin of Keene, N. H., was the guest of friends and relatives in town the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Hattie Martin is ill at her home in the Noah Brooks house on High street and Mrs. Clark is caring for her.

Mrs. Lucy Robinson entertained several ladies at her home on Park street Saturday afternoon and for supper.

Harry Bigelow sold his household goods last week and will soon move to Boston where he is to make his permanent home.

Francis Grout of Sherburne, Mass., is the guest of Slayton Lang this week and is helping Slayton in the Lang booth at the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Webster spent Sunday at Willoughby lake, the guests of Prof. and Mrs. H. E. Hawkes, at the latter's cottage.

Duffy Martel, who has been working at Greenville, Me., for the Vermont Butter Tub company, is at home for three weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Underwood and Dr. and Mrs. M. F. Fries were guests at the George Davis cottage in Crystal Lake Grove over Sunday.

Andrew Walcott returned Saturday from a month's visit in Ogdensburg, N. Y., coming home by way of the Thousand Islands and Montreal.

J. W. Atwood, state inspector of weights and measures, was at the fair ground Tuesday, testing the scales used by the many vendors there.

Miss Katherine Connor, a stenographer in a railway office at Portland, Me., has been the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Kate Heath the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Smith are enjoying a visit from their daughter, Mrs. Edwards of Graniteville and their grandchildren, Lyle and Ralph Smith.

Rev. and Mrs. I. A. Ranney, Mrs. Melvin Drown and Mrs. M. H. Bruning were at Lyndonville to attend the M. E. campmeeting the past week.

"Along the Kennebec," a down-east drama will be given at Seaver's opera hall tonight and a dance with an orchestra from Hardwick, will follow the play.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Glazier of New Britain, Conn., are here in their automobile and will visit Mr. Glazier's mother and friends here for a week or more.

## FAIR HAS BIG OPENING

Large Crowd Today. Fine Local Stock Exhibit. Exciting Ball Game. Floral, Hall Crowded.

The annual Orleans County fair opened auspiciously yesterday with a fine list of entries from the farmers of Orleans county and adjacent towns in Caledonia county. The judging was completed yesterday in all departments, especial interest centering in the judging of the live stock by Andrew Elliot, an expert judge from Ontario.

The exhibit of fancy work in the floral hall and other floral hall exhibits are all they have ever been and in most cases better.

The crowd today was much larger than for several years. The races, which are in progress as the Monitor goes to press are proving exciting and the ball game this forenoon was a battle between North Troy and Lyndonville.

Everything is favorable for another big day tomorrow.

## A Breach of Promise Suit.

Two of Barton's well known people find themselves in more or less trouble, which has resulted in a breach of promise suit, which is set for trial at Seaver's hall Wednesday evening, Sept. 6. The names of the parties concerned will be given next week.

In other words, it will be a mock court trial, and it promises to be one of the most enjoyable affairs of many years, as a large number of our leading people will participate in the proceedings.

Doctors Stacey and Shaw and Miss McClure have returned to Springfield after spending several weeks at the Stacey-Baldwin cottage in Crystal Lake Grove.

Ariel Gardner, who is working at Littleton, N. H., was at home a few days last week with a bruised knee, the result of an accident, but returned Friday.

Rev. W. A. Warner was at Newport, N. H., Sunday, where he preached in the Congregational church there. Rev. A. B. Blake supplied for Mr. Warner.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Percival have been occupying the Smith cottage at Willoughby lake for the past two weeks, where they have been entertaining friends.

The Moxie gold leaf car, an advertising car of the Moxie people, is in town this week. It is quite a freak car and is said to have cost over \$1000 for the gold leaf alone.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Cutting leave tonight for Crofton, N. H., to attend an Old Home Week celebration there, it being the 150th anniversary of the settlement of the town.

Mrs. Esther Titus, who sold her restaurant in the F. W. Baldwin block on Main street soon after the death of Mr. Titus, has repurchased the business and took possession Monday.

The library will be moved the first of next week from the rooms in the Davis block to rooms over the Monitor office. No books will be let out after Saturday until further notice.

Carl Hamblet, who is in the employ of Cross-Abbott, is taking a week's vacation, the first he has had in four years. He is spending the time at the home of his parents on Church street.

Eddie Wilder of Northfield, formerly a major league player, and for one season a member of the Barton ball team has been secured to umpire the ball games at the fair this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Mears and son, Robert, of Mansfield, Meas., and Miss Edith Allen of Montreal, are guests at the Misses Mays' for a week. All these people have been former guests here.

Someone broke into the Normandy Cafeteria Monday night by breaking off the lock at the back door. No money was left in the cash register and the thieves scurried only some cooked food.

C. L. Hutchins says that if the party who took a watch from the top of his show case Monday will return it to him or to George E. Jennings before Saturday, she will save herself any trouble.

A kitchen shower was given Miss Lida Paquette at her home Wednesday evening, about 35 of her friends being present to enjoy a social evening and to extend their best wishes to the bride-to-be.

Henry Damon has the foundation completed for a new house on Highland avenue. Mr. Damon is a railroad carpenter and expects to complete his home before his three month's leave of absence is up.

Wilmer Daniels, formerly employed at the Webster mill, and now at Skinner, Me., where he is running the store for the Skinner Lumber company, was at his parents' home in Westmore and visiting friends the past week.

May shore has again become the objective, during the present hot weather period and the small boy's two-finger sign each afternoon is much in evidence. Few towns in Vermont can boast of so fine a bathing beach or a better bath house.

Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Gilman, formerly of this place, but recent residents of California, were in town last week. They are visiting in Brownington, but expect to spend the winter with Dr. Gilman's sister, Mrs. Edith Comstock, in Bridgewater, Mass.

Two officers from St. Johnsbury have been hired by the village to help police the town during fair week and an officer is stationed on all the principal corners. A new ruling this season

## COUNTY CANDIDATES FILE.

Yesterday was the time limit for the filing of names for county officers and the list is filed as follows. It appears that the Democrats are sure of at least one place on the ticket as no Republican filed for high bailiff. But one Democratic name was filed for county senator.

For Rep. F. C. Caswell, Derby

M. A. Adams, Derby

C. W. Williams, Craftsbury

George W. Russell, Iraaburg

Dem. A. B. Pike, Craftsbury.

For Assistant Judges

Rep. F. W. Tenney, Albany

W. D. Miller, Troy

Dem. H. S. Ruiter, Charleston

J. A. Brown, Albany

For State's Attorney

Rep. Colby Stoddard, Orleans

C. E. Jenkins, Orleans

For High Sheriff

Rep. J. Hill, Newport

Dem. J. J. Labelle, Coventry

For Judge of Probate

Rep. R. W. Spear, Newport

Dem. J. K. Kirkpatrick, Newport

For High Bailiff

Dem. W. A. Blake, Lowell.

## Special Session Tomorrow.

After a conference with members of the relief committee appointed by Gov. Gates to investigate the needs of the families of National guards now on duty in Texas, a special session of the Vermont legislature was called in the following proclamation:

Whereas the Vermont troops are now serving with the United States army to preserve and maintain peace and protect our citizens on the Mexican border;

Whereas such service is being willingly and patriotically performed by our men at a sacrifice to personal interest and duty to family and home;

Whereas it appears that the compensation received by these men is not sufficient to meet their needs and the needs of their families and that if provision is not soon made such families must become subject to charity;

Therefore, I, Charles W. Gates, governor of the state of Vermont, do hereby by authority of the constitution in this respect summon the members of the senate and house of representatives to meet in their respective chambers together with the officers of the two houses on the 24th day of August, A. D. 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon to provide for such compensation of Vermont troops in addition to United States pay and for such relief of their families and dependents as may seem advisable.

will compel teams and cars to go to the grounds by way of Park street and return by Glover street.

Mrs. Austin and family learn through C. E. Austin of Montreal of the critical illness of Mr. Austin's son, Chandler, while en route to Moose Jaw, Canada, for his vacation. Mr. Austin and son are at Saskatoon, Canada. Both Mr. and Mrs. Austin, nee Flora Whitney, were former Barton residents.

If you have not already done so, you should visit the manual training booth in floral hall at the Barton fair, which is in charge of Prof. Bates. Surely the boys of the academy are exhibiting some very creditable work in this line and the booth is one of the most attractive features of the fair.

Mrs. Elizabeth Pearson Keniston of North Reading, Mass., has been spending a few days with her cousins, Miss Clara and John Barnard. Mrs. Keniston was the daughter of the Rev. Ora Pearson and formerly resided in a house on the property now occupied by Hotel Barton. She will be remembered by some of Barton's older residents.

During band concert Saturday night, burglars attempted to enter the Lang house, occupied by N. C. Stevens. Coming on the porch the party broke out a large light of glass and then unlatching the sash shoved it up, but the Stevens dog then became the aggressor and evidently the burglar decided that the house was too well protected and beat a retreat.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Morency, Peter Cota and Donat Jutra spent a greater part of last week touring in Canada in Mr. Morency's car. They traveled about 600 miles visiting many interesting places, among them being the asbestos mines near Sherbrooke. They were in Drummondville Friday, when the explosion of the powder mill there occurred and eight persons were killed.

St. Paul's church was the scene of a very pretty wedding Monday morning at 9 o'clock, when Miss Lida Paquette became the bride of Jed Blodgett. The bride was prettily gowned in silk embroidered net and carried a white prayer book. Miss Yolande Blair was maid of honor and George Paquette, a brother of the bride, was best man. The families and relatives of the bride service repaired to the home of the bride where a bountiful dinner was served. Their many friends extend congratulations.

## COVENTRY

H. S. Bridges is able to be out again.

Miss Muriel Wells is camping at the Bluffs.

Master Paul Wells is spending a few days in Barton.

Miss Myra Douglass has returned from her vacation trip.

Several from here attended the Kinne auction at Newport.

Mrs. F. G. Bean and son, Winfred, have purchased a Studebaker car.

Mrs. E. V. Powers of Lyndon is keeping house for J. P. Wheelock.

Miss Eva Baxter of Richmond is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. T. Wells.

## ATTEMPTED SUICIDE

Young Man Said to Have Quarreled with His Sweetheart. In Hospital but Will Live.

Walter Simpson, a young man living about seven miles from Barton on the Duck pond road to Sheffield was found suffering from a 32 caliber revolver shot in his right shoulder about 9 o'clock last night near Frank Touchette's in the south part of the village. It appears that young Simpson wanted to get Touchette's team but not doing so went out into the street and it is supposed he tried to shoot himself, though some circumstances are peculiar.

F. R. Hastings, the attending physician, says the revolver was fired so close to the shoulder in which the bullet found lodgment that the flesh and clothing were discolored by the powder, and the injury was in the right shoulder.

Simpson was taken to St. Johnsbury on the midnight train, accompanied by his brother, where he entered the hospital and was operated upon by Dr. Allen. He will recover.

It is reported that the young man had quarreled with his sweetheart.

## County Sunday School Field Day.

Plans are maturing for a great Sunday school field day at the driving park in Newport September 4th. There will be all kinds of sport, a band concert and speaking.

California Subscriber Writes Interestingly

Salinas, Calif., Aug. 7th, 1916.

Mr. Editor:

As my subscription for the Orleans County Monitor expires sometime this month, please find enclosed postoffice money in order of \$1.50 for the Monitor another year. The Monitor is a very welcome weekly visitor here, and I don't think I can get along without it, on account of the home news I get in it for Barton seems more like home to me than any other place. Perhaps you would like to know that when my paper has come 3000 miles to me and I have devoured all the news, then I send it to my daughter in New York City, where it gets another warm welcome. Each copy has a 6,000-mile ride. I am living in the Salinas Valley, and there has been very little rain here since last March and of course it is very dry. We are having a great deal of fog now. I was surprised yesterday by an earthquake that threw some of the household utensils off the shelves and a pan of milk went over, too. It was the hardest earthquake there has been since I came to California.

The crops in this vicinity are all harvested excepting the sugar beets. The Sprinkles Sugar (beet) Factory is about five miles from here and is the largest factory of its kind in the United States.

There are a great many men here looking for work (they say) and asking for food. Since I came here in January there have been as many as 57 men coming to the door and either asking for work or food, or both. Most of them carry what is called here a blanket roll, on their backs.

Mrs. Nora Brown of Orleans visited her father, E. A. Corrow, over Sunday.

Mrs. Woodcock has finished work for Mrs. Esther Hancock and will go to Troy.

Dana Alger and family of Newport Center were in town Saturday visiting relatives.

Mrs. O. D. Hancock and daughter, Gladys, visited at Mrs. Esther Hancock's Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Smith and daughter of Lincoln, N. H., are guests at L. A. Smith's.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thurber have returned from their visit in Boston and Springfield, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Wilder and friend from Newport attended the lawn party at H. W. Wilder's.

Miss Kate Stevens of Orleans spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Stevens.

Hamilton Lathe of Chicago has come to spend several weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Lathe.

Last week Mrs. Vester Cleveland entertained her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Allen of Antrim, N. H.

F. H. Hermon has moved into his house recently vacated by his son, Leland, who has moved to Crofton, N. H.

Mrs. Moulthrop and daughters of Saxtons River, who have been visiting at R. K. Ware's have returned to their home.

W. A. Elliot, who is in very poor health, went to Brightlook hospital, St. Johnsbury, for consultation last week.

Mrs. George Chandler and son, Paul, of Lowell, Mass., called on their cousin, Mrs. H. H. Hancock, Tuesday of last week.

J. G. Kidder has returned from Brightlook hospital somewhat improved. He is stopping for the present at Clayton Brooks's.

Herbert Blanchard of Newport visited the library recently and presented it with eight choice volumes of fiction for which our townspeople are very grateful.

Mrs. H. A. McMurtry received 71 post cards on her 74th birthday which was August 9th. She was very grateful to her many friends for so kindly remembering her.

The union Sunday school picnic will be held in Billings' grove Wednesday, Aug. 30. If this should prove a rainy day, it will be postponed until Thursday. Everyone cordially invited.

## Eusebe Morin.

Eusebe Morin died at his home on the Orleans road Monday evening Aug. 14. He has been in failing health since March, at which time he had the grip, but was about until three weeks ago, when he had a shock, and began to fail rapidly. The deceased was born in Henryville, P. Q., Feb. 29, 1842. He was united in marriage to Miss Rena Samson 51 years ago last February. He is survived by his wife, three daughters, two sons, an adopted son and several grandchildren. About nine years ago Mr. Morin bought what was known as the Ora White place, and moved his family here from Ayers, Cliff, P. Q. He was a genial, honest, upright man, a good neighbor, a devoted husband and father and well liked by all who knew him. Funeral services were held at St. Paul's church Wednesday at 10 o'clock. Interment at St. Paul's cemetery. Those from out of town, who attended the funeral were: Mrs. Medie Clement of Manchester, N. H., Levi Denn, Ayers, P. Q., Mrs. Rosanna Bolduc of Franklin, N. H., George Roy of Woodstock, Mr. Lefevre and Mrs. Desnault of Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. Telles Roy of Fairfax, P. Q., Miss Sylvia Jacques of Attleboro, Mass.

Card of Thanks—We wish to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to all neighbors and friends for their countless deeds of kindness and sympathy and also for the beautiful flowers sent us during the death and burial of our beloved husband and father.

Mrs. E. Morin.

Mr. and Mrs. Medie Clement.

Miss Rosanna Morin.

Fred Morin.

Miss Vina Morin.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Morin.

Bert Morin.

Among those who have been at Wenlock blueberrying are Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Metcalf and son, Harry, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Denn, Andrew and Every Corrow, and Charles Stevens.